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For: CIRCUIT TAPE HAVING ADHESIVE FILM,
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND A METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING AMENDMENTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

April 15, 2002

Sir:

Applicants, through their attorney, respectfully request that the Examiner approve amendment of the drawing figures, to add new Fig. 9 to the application.

This Fig. 9, enclosed herewith (circled in red) provides a drawing figure showing the three layer structure of the adhesive film. This drawing figure is consistent with the description added to the specification of the above-identified application, e.g., on page 8 thereof, by the concurrently filed Amendment.


Approval by the Examiner of the requested drawing amendment, is respectfully requested. Upon approval by the Examiner, a formal drawing of

Fig. 9 will be submitted, pursuant to the pertinent rules and regulations of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 503.35443VX1) and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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